

Reports on Previous Events

August Floop Clean-up - Fallowfield Sainsbury's chose to support local Sustrans volunteers as part of their 150th Anniversary celebrations. Accordingly, manager Gareth and his team showed up to super-charge the litter picking regulars this month and we completed cleaning the Sainsbury's to The Quadrants stretch in good time and despite the littering being light, we managed to remove 6 bags of the stuff as well as having a good time to boot. Thank you Sainsbury's !

August Yellow Brick Road (Old Stockport Canal) Clean-up - there could hardly have been a more ominous weather forecast for the litter pick but despite this we had a record turnout of 12 plucky volunteers and in the event, the weather was benign. We started from near the Debdale end and worked north as far as the aqueduct. As expected, there was a lot of litter on the path and in entrance ways including many annoying black bags full of rubbish and five very heavy fire doors which we removed to the street. We also tackled half of the eastern part of the Gorton Station railway path which was quite bad (including literally hundreds of discarded nitrous oxide sparklets) even though it was cleared just a few weeks ago. In all, we collected an amazing 54 bags of rubbish plus the usual assortment of unbaggageable items - a good morning's work!

As usual, many thanks to all those who volunteered last month.

Future Events

The monthly litter picks are planned for the second Thursday of each month (Floop) and the following Saturday (YBR).

The 2019 dates for the Floop/YBR events are therefore:

Sept : 12/14

Oct : 10/12

Nov 14:/16

Dec 12/14